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t :	SHIPPING.	INTIMATIONS.	BANKS.	AUCTION	INTIMATIONS.	NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.	INTIMATIONS.
	ARRIVALS. May 18, Essex, British str. 1,675, H. Longler,		THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED. INCORPORATED UNDER THE COMPANIES	THE Undersigned has received instructions	THEATRE ROYAL.	"CASTLE" LINE OF STEAMERS. FROM LONDON, PENANG AND	THEATRE ROY
	Saigon 14th May, Rice.—Adamson, Bell. & Co. May 18, Ningpo, British str., 761, W. Potts,	SUMMER BEVERAGES.	ACTS 1862 to 1883. CAPITAL £2,000,000, IN 200,000 SHARES OF £10 EACH.	to Sell by Public Auction, on FRIDAY, the 22nd May, 1885, at 2 P.M., at	FOR A SHORT SEASON ONLY. COMMENCING ABOUT THE 28TH MAY. FINE WASCOTTE OPERA	SINGAPORE. HE Steamship	OITY HALL. TOIDGWAY'S GRAND VAL
	Shanghai 15th May, General—Siemssen & Co.	ANGIO-BAVARIAN PAUE ALE.	Registered Office, 40. THREADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON. BRANCHES IN INDIA, JAPAN, CHINA	HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,	COMPANY.	Rowell, Commander, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby in-	WILL GIVE A SERIES OF
	May 18, Signal, German steamer, 385, Hunde- wadt, Hoikow 17th May, General.—Signs- sen & Co.		AND THE COLONIES. LONDON BANKERS: THE UNION BANK OF LONDON, LIMITED.	Comprising:— BOMBAY BLACKWOOD ROUND CENTRE TABLE, ENGLISH-MADE WALNUT DRAW- ING ROOM SUITE, BLACKWOOD INLAID	Plan and Seats at Messrs. Kelly & Walsh. Hongkong, 13th May, 1885.	formed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risks into the Godowns of the undersigned, at Wanchai, No. 3, behind the premises known as "Blue Buildings" whence	ENTERTAINMENT in the above Theatre, commencing TO-MORROW, THE 21st.
****	May 18, Galley of Lorne, British steamer, 1,380, Pomroy, Nagasaki 13th May, Coals.—Russell & Co.		THE BANK OF SCOTLAND, EDINEURGH, LON- DON, AND BRANCHES. RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED	MARBLE TOP SIDE TABLES, MIR- RORS PICTURES, CHANDELIER, CARPET & RUGS.	PROSPECTUS	and/or from the wharves or boats delivery may be obtained. Optional cargo will be forwarded on, unless	ACROBATICS, GYMNASTICS, and PANT THE CANNON KING WILL CATCH A CA BALL FIRED FROM A CANNON
	May 19, Benalder, British steamer, 1,331, J. Ross, Kutchinotzu 14th May, Coal.—Gibb,	GILLON'S LIME JUICE CORDIAL.	ON DEPOSITS: At 3 Months' Notice, 3 per Cent. per Annum. At 6 Months' Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum.	ENGLISH MADE MAHOGANY DINING TABLE and SIDEBOARD; WHATNOTS, DINNER, DESSERT & TEA SERVICES,	GOVERNMENT 1885 DOLLAR LOAN.	notice to the contrary, be given before Four P.M., TO-DAY. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods	Fuller Particulars will appear.
	LIVINGSTON & Co. May 19, METAPEDII, British str., 1,459, J. B. Purvis, Shanghai 15th May, Ballast.—Rus-		At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annum. On CURRENT DEFOSIT Accounts 2 per Cent. per Annum on the Daily Balance.	GLASS and PLATED WARE. DOUBLE and SINGLE IRON BEDSTEADS, WARDROBES, CHEST OF DRAWERS		have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining after the 26th inst., will be subject to rents. No Fire Insurance has been effected.	GEORGE RIDGY
	SELL & Co. May 19, Malita, German etc., 339, H. Morck,		CREDITS GRANTED, REMITTANCES, Ex- CHANGES, LOANS, and every description of Banking Business transacted.	MARBLE TOP WASHSTAND, TOILET	in conformity with Decrees Issued by the TSUNG-LI YAMEN, or GENERAL FOREIGN OFFICE, at PERING, and officially	The state of the s	Hougkong, 20th May, 1885. IN THE SUPREME COURT
	Whampon 19th May, General.—WIELER & Co. May 19, Douglas, British str., 982, M. Young,	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.	CLAIMS on the ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION PURCHASED	&c., &c., do.	communicated to the CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA, AND CHINA, Hongkong, through the BRITISH LEGA-	Hongkong, 19th May, 1885. [917] NETHERLANDS-INDIA STEAM NAVI-	HONGKONG. IN BANKRUPTCY.
	Foochow 16th, Amoy 17th, and Swatow 18th May, Molasses and General.—Douglas	Hongkong. 15th May, 1884. [26]	H. A. HERBERT Manager.	J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer. Hongkong, 19th May, 1885. [961]	TION at Peking, bearing dates the 26th day of December, 1884, and 12th day of January,	FROM BATAVIA, SINGAPORE, AND	IN THE MATTER OF KWOK YING S A Bankrupt.
	LAPRAIK & Co. May 19. Gordon Castle, British str., 1,319,	New Books and New Goods. Hunter's Bits of Old China.	HONGKONG & SHANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION.	INSURANCES.	For DOLLARS 1,394,700.14 Hongkong Currency, Equivalent of TAELS 1,000.000 at 7.1.7., in 2790 Boxus of \$500 each, excepting one	SAIGON.	CREDITORS will be held on 27 1885, at Noon, at the Registry of the S
	John Rowell, London 31st March, and Sin- gapore 13th May, General—Adamson, Bell & Co.	American Almanuck, 1885. Blackie's Steam Practice and Engineering.	PAID-UP CAPITAL \$7,500,000. RESERVE FUND 4,400,000. RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF \ 400,000.	SUN FIRE OFFICE.	est at 8 per cent. per annum. The CHINESE IMPERIAL! GOVERNMENT ous-	"GOUVERNEUR GENERAALS' JACOB," having arrived from the above ports Consignoes	Court for the purpose of considering a p to purchase for a nominal sum the eq redemption of a part of the Bankrupt's
	May 19, MOUNTSARO, German schooner, 70, Hansen, Yap lst May, Ballast.—Black-	Rive Book—State Papers relating to China.	DIVIDENDS)	The Undersigned are prepared from this date to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE at the Reduced Tariff Rates to the extent of \$50,000	rantees the repayment of this Lean within three years from the nineteenth day of January, 1885, and has pludged, as security therefor and for the	of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery	he the Most cores of the come
	May 19, Teheran, British steamer, 1,670, W. J. Nantes, Shanghai 16th May, Mails and	i – Asing ibo Hawas (filipa 10 a)albio, Abu fiu. – :	Court of Directors:— Chairman—Hon. F. D. Sassoon.	on First-class Risks. LINSTEAD & DAVIS, Agents,	payment of the interest, the IMPERIAL MARITIME CUSTOMS REVENUES of the Kwangtung or Canton Province, and further, have made the	Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Consignees risk and	964 Acting Regis
		Plans. Wall Maps of the World, Asia, Europe, &c.	Deputy Chairman—A. McIver, EsqH. L. Dalrymple, Esq. H. Hoppius, Esq. M. Grote, Esq. O. D. Bottomley, Esq.	Sun Fire Office. Hongkong, 12th May, 1881.	Bonds issued for the payment of this Loan re- ceivable, if not taken up and paid at due date thereof, in payment of Customs' duties, export	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents.	THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL ST SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED
	Bachelder, San Francisco 7th March, Flour. —ORDER. May 19, Peincess Wilhelmina, Dutch bark.	Straight Cut. Morris' Gold Leaf Honey Dew. Lawn Tennis Sets, Tennis Bats, Tennis Bulls.	Hon. W. Keswick A. P. McEwen, Esq. CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq.	NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.	and import, throughout the Kwangtung or Canton Province, as appears by the following extract from the agreement entered into between	Hongkong, 18th May, 1885. 1953 STEAMSHIP "DJEMNAH."	THE Company's Steamer "PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO
- .	397. T. W. P. V. Muller, Newchwang 29th April, Beans.—Signson & Co.		MANAGEN Shanghai—Ewen Cameron, Esq. London Bankers—London & County Bank.	HE Undersigned Agents of the above Company, are authorized to INSURE against FIRE at Current Rates.	CHINA, viz: "In the event of the non-payment	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.	Captain H. Lightwood, will be despat the above Ports on FRIDAY, the 22nd at Noon.
•	May 19, GLAMIS CASTLE, British steamer, 1,385, S. J. Valler, Saigon 14th May, Rice.— Adamson, Bell & Co.	Nichal Framed Sun Glasses and Googles.	Hongkong—Interest Allowed. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of	Hongkong: 1st January 1882. 16 THE SCOTTISH UNION & NATIONAL	at due date by the CHINESE IMPERIAL GOVERNMENT of any instalment of principal or interest, or of any part thereof, the Bonds drawn	NOTICE.	For Freight or Passago, apply to YUEN FAT HOI Agents.
	May 19, Energia, British steamer, 2,063, Tarbock, Hiogo 13th May, Ballast.—Order.	Stove Screens and Stove Ornaments. - Magic Knives and Pencils. - Photograph and Screen Albums—New Designs.	2 per cent. per Annum on the daily balance. O1. Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum.	INSURANCE COMPANY.	and payable on that date and not paid shall there- upon become and be payable and receivable in payment of Customs duties either export or	"MEDOC," "THANE," AND "PRESI-	Hongkong, 19th May, 1885. DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMI
	May 19, Sumatra, British steamer, 1,406, W. D. G. Worcester, Yokohama 11th May, Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.	Memorandum Pocket Books in great Variety	For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. Local Bills Discourres.	against FIRE at Current Rates.	Kwangtung Province, and all Officers of the	from London, Antwerp, and Bordeaux, in con- nection with above Steamer, are hereby informed	FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOO (SHARP-PEAK).
	May 19, CockcHAFER, British gunboat, from a cruise.	New Bongs and Dance Music. KELIN & WALSH, HONGKONG. 24	CREDITS granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.	Hongkong, 14th November, 1884. [933]	14h a fall mala 22	that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at their risks at the Company's Godowns,	HE Company's Steamship
	May 19, Nardoo, British bark, 579, J. F. Morrison, Fremanth 24th March, Sandalwood. —Siemssen & Co.	R WILLIAM SWEETMAN, Tenchor	DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan.	/INHE Undersigned. Agents for the above	China are charged to provide funds to meet all liabilities under and in connection with this	after landing.	Captain Young, will be despatched above Ports on FRIDAY, the 22nd in
	CLEARANCES.	Pupils. Under his new system Mr. SWEET-MAN can impart a fair knowledge of any		Gompany, are prepared to GRANT IN- SURANCES to the extent of \$65,000, on first- class risks at current rates.	The PRINCIPAL and INTEREST are	before A.M. TO-MORROW, (MONDAY), request-	For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK &
	AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 19th May. Willie, British schooner, for Chefoo.	Europem Language within three months. Arrangements are now being made to form Day and Evening Classes.		Hongkong 27th March 1876 [10]	yearly instalments, the first of which will be	Undersigned.	Hongkong, 19th May, 1885.
	Amoy, F h steamer, for Shanghai.	ME. SWEETMAN undertakes Translations in all European Languages and offers his Sorvices as Interpreter.		ASSURANCE COMPANY.	annum, payable yearly according to the English Calendar, as per schedule hereunto annexed, at	subject to rent and landing charges at 1 cent.	Fancy Note Paper and Envelopes pri gold and colours, any letter, 50 cents box
	Metapedia, British steamer, for Saigon. Chi-yuen, British steamer, for Swatow.	Terms strictly moderate. Apply to COLLEGE CHAMBERS, Wyndham Street.	Banking Corporation on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1.	prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE AND LIFE at Current Rates.	the Offices of the CHARTERED BANK of INDIA, AUSTRALIA and CHINA at their current buying rate of exchange for demand bills on Hougkong. The DRAWINGS will take place at the	before the 27th inst., or they will not be recognized.	A Large Selection of vory handson Painted Fans in ivory, scented wo abonite, from \$2 each.
	DEPARTURES. May 19, Hae-shin, American str., for Amoy	Hongkong, 30th April, 1885. 1941	2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.		Office of the said CHARTERED BANK in Hongkong three months previous to the date of payment of each instalment, as given in the	G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Agent.	A Great variety of Fancy Penholo Pencil Cases. Mason and Hamblin's American Orga
	May 19, MENZALEH French str., for Yokohama. May 19, Namoa, British str., for Swatow.	S A L O O' N, Hongkone Hotel Buildings.	3.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang-	The Undersigned are now prepared to GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against	Schedule, and the Bonds so drawn will be payable at par at the Offices of the said CHARTERED BANK in Hongkong, after which	COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES	Pianos for Hire. Statesman's Year Book, 1885. Sleeman's Torpedoes.
		MA SALOON is attached to this Establishment, and Ladies are respectfully invited to	hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent, per annum interest. 4.—Interest at the rate of 31 per cent. per	FIRE at the following Rates:— On First-class European Tenerants	date interest on the Bonds so drawn will cease.	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are	Mathematical Instruments, Colour Artist's Brushes. New Boots and Shoes.
	May 13, CHI-IUEN, British Ster, for Dwatow.	give it a trial. Every satisfaction is guaranteed. - Hongkong, 8th May, 1885. [894]	annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances. 5.—Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass-Book, which-must be presented with	On First-class Godowns, & Merchandise stored	TABLE OF DRAWINGS to take place in the month of October in	to the undersigned for countersignature, and take immediate delivery. This Cargo has been	Men's Kid Oxford Shoes.
	PASSENGERS. ARRIVED. Per Essex, str., from Saigon.—32 Chinese.	R. R. S. PINTO begs to inform the Public that he has Resumed his MUSIC, SINGING, PLANO, & VIOLIN LESSONS,	each payment or withdrawal. Depositors must not make any entries themselves in their Pass Books, but should send them to be written up	On Petroleum in li- censed Godowns at 12 % Net per Annum.	Dates of Payment Amount of each Amount of Interest	landed and stored at their risk and expense. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Ex "TANAIS."	Men's Kid Oxford-Shoes with Cloth-t Ladies' Blackheaded Indoor Shoes. Ladies' Handsome Evening Shoes.
-	For Signal, str., from Hollow.—123 Chinese. Per Ningro, etc. from Shanghai — Mossre	patience at Public 8 residence, and great patience taken with Juveniles.	at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July. 6.—Correspondence as to the business of the	On Second-class Chinese	1886.—January 18th, \$465,000.00 \$111,576.01	No mark, no number, 18 bags Seeds, from Yokohama.	Men's Lawn Tennis Shoes plain soles
·	nese. Per Douglas, str., from Coast Ports.—Messrs. T. Boyd and J. M. la Silva, and 128 Chinese.	TERMS VERY MODERATE.	Bank if marked On Hongkong Savings Bank Business is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and China.	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., Agents for Phonix Fire Office.	1887.—January 18th, 465,000.00 74,376.01 1888.—January 18th, 464,700.14 37,176.01	Hongkong, 12th May, 1885.	are the strongest and best Shoes for Courts. W. BREWER, Queen's Roa
£	Per Gordon Casile, str., from Singapore.— 434 Chinese. Per Teheran, str. from Shanghai.—Mr. and	A FONG, PHOTOGRAPHER.	7.—Withdrawals may be made on demand, but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of	THE LONDON ASSURANCE	\$1,394,700.14 \$223,128.03	FOR SALE. TNLAND LOT No. 507 with the TWELVE	UNION INSURANCE SOCIET
,	Mrs. Pirkis and 2 children, Mr. E. Fergusson, Mr. J. D. Bishop, Mrs. Moberley, Mr. and Mrs. B. de S. Fernandes the Misses Fernandes (3),	Behind New Objectal Bank, Hongkong	his Pass-Book are necessary. For the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank- ing Corforation,	INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER OF HIS	THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA, AUSTRALIA AND CHINA INVITE SEALED TENDERS	CHINESE HOUSES thereon, Nos. 18, 20, 22, 24, 26, and 28, WANCHI ROAD, and 10, 12, 14, 16, 18 and 20. WANCHI MARKET STREET.	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDE
-	vants, Mr. J. H. Leffmann and servant, Mr. S. S. Joseph, Mr. E. E. Elias, and 6 steerage.	in the Empire, the Copies of which are only	T. JACKSON,	HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Corporation, are	·	Crown Rent \$76.20 per Annum. Apply to LINSTEAD & DAVIS.	ORDINARY GENERAL ME OF SHAREHOLDERS of the SOCIE
• 4	Morrison and child. DEPARTED.	to be purchased at his Studio or Messrs. KELLY & WALSH'S Store. IVORY MINIATURES of Superior Excellence	T 1VERPOOL AND LONDON AND	prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—	of the above Loan at their Offices at Hongkong, Shanghai, Yokohama, and Singapore, until Noon on the 23rd May, 1885, when the Tenders will be opened.	Hongkong, 13th May, 1885. \(\) [920 FOR SALE.	be held at the Society's Head Office Praya Central, Victoria, Hongkong, on DAY, the Second DAY of June,
,	Per Namoa, str., for Foochow.—Messrs.R. F. Lopez, U.S.N., H. P. Tennant, Remington, Ramsey, McHenry England, T. Pim, Hunter,	and High Finish, painted under careful Supervision. INSTANTANEOUS VIEWS, GROUPS and Portugues to the standard of the standard	The Undersigned as Agents for the above	in London, or at the principal Ports of India,	A DEPOSIT of TEN DOLLARS per centum	C H A M P A G N E.	THERE O'CLOCK in the AFFERNOON, while intended to confirm the resolutions pass Extraordinary Meeting of Shares
· .	S. Hughes, A. B. Heath, and F. J. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. England.	THE PACIFIC MUTUAL LIFE IN-	Rates.	FIRE DEPARTMENT. Policies issued for long or short periods at current rates. LIFE DEPARTMENT.	cheque or on demand draft on a Bank in Hong- kong. The balance of the amount allotted to be paid on or before the 30th May, 1885.	Sole Agents;	held on the 18th day of May, 1885. By Order of the Board of Directors, N. J. E
	REPORTS. The Dutch bark Princess Wilhelmina, from Newsburger reports good weather throughout	FORMIA. YOLO AND BENICIA MILLS; FLOUR AND MEALS.	DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, 11th May 1881. [14]	Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000, at reduced rates. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.	DEFAULT in payment of any instalment at the due date will render all provious payments liable to forfeiture.	Hongkong, ist July, 1901.	Hongkong, 18th May, 1885,
٠.	Newchwang, reports good weather throughout the voyage. The British steamer Benalder, from Kuchi-	CALIFORNIA CANNED GOODS OF WM. T. COLEMAN & Co. TRON MANTELS AND STOVES OF	The Undersigned, having been appointed	Hongkong, 26th July, 1872. [11	BONDS to BEARER will be issued on 30th May, 1885, against allotment letter and on pay- ment of the balance due on same, from which	DENEM PENS.	SAM HING STULTZ, J. TAILOR, DRAPER, and GENERAL OUT
-	notzu, reports fresh N.E. breeze and thick rainy weather.	MONTAGUE & Co. A. HINZ,	Agents for the avove Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.	PANY, LIMITED.	date the public will receive interest. IF NO ALLOTMENT is made the deposit will-be returned in full; and if only a portion of	PARIS, 1878. Sold by all	Best Materials and a Perfect Fit Guar AT MODERATE PRICES.
	The British steamer Essex, from Saigon, re- norts light to moderate winds and fine weather	No 1 Di Amilia Struct	SIEMSSEN & Co.,		the amount applied for is allotted the balance of	Stationers and Dealers. [908]	Dealer in Chinese Silk of all & Pith Hats, Matting and Bamboo

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OITY HALL GRAND VARIETY TROUPE.

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GYMNASTICS, and PANTOMIME ion King will catch a Cannon FIRED FROM A CANNON ller Particulars will appear

PRICES AS USUAL. GEORGE RIDGWAY, , 20th May, 1885.

IE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG. IN BANKRUPTCY.

TTER OF KWOK YING SHEW. krupt.

NOTICE that a MEETING or DITORS will be held on 27th May, on, at the Registry of the Supreme e purpose of considering a proposal for a nominal sum the equity of of a part of the Bankrupt's Estate tgages of the same.

s 19th day of May, 1885... ALFRED G. WISE, Acting Registrar. WATOW AND BANGKOK

TTISH ORIENTAL STEAM P COMPANY, LIMITED. mpany's Steamer a chula chòm klao,

Lightwood, will be despatched for orts on FRIDAY, the 22nd instant, tht or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,

g, 19th May, 1885. S STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. TOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW

mpany's Steamship "DOUGLAS." oung, will be despatched for the on FRIDAY, the 22nd instant, at

ght or Passage, apply-to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., General Managers. g, 19th May, 1885.

BREWER has just received ote Paper and Envelopes printed in lours, any letter, 50 cents box. Selection of very hardsome Hand ans in ivory, scented wood, and m \$2 each. variety of Fancy Penholders and

d Hamblin's American Organs: r Hire. n's Year Book, 1885. Torpedoes. tical Instruments, Colour Boxes, NEW BOOTS AND SHOES.

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ongest and best Shoes for Concrete . BREWER, Queen's Road. OOR TO HONGKONG HOTEL.

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E is hereby given that an EXTRA-DINARY GENERAL MEETING EHOLDERS of the SOCIETY will he Society's Head Office, No. 15. tral, Victoria, Hongkong, on TUES SECOND DAY OF JUNE, 1885, at LOCK in the AFPERNOON, when it is confirm the resolutions passed at the INARY MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS 18th day of May, 1885.

of the Board of Directors. N. J. EDE, Secretary: g, 18th May, 1885,

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COMMERCIAL and SOCIAL OCCUREENCES

W. BREWEB, Quoen's Road. Hongkong, 25th April, 1885.

Straits on 25th, thence to Catwicks light variables and calms, with westerly current, Catwicks to Macklesfield Bank fresh S.W. wind; thence to port fresh E.N.E. wind and thick weather, with much thunder and lightning. VESSELS EXPECTED AT RONGKONG. (Corrected to Date.)

The British steamer Ningpo, from Shanghai,

The British str. Douglas, from Coast ports,

reports fine weather and moderate variable winds.

with thick mists and fog, latter part moderate

The British bark Nardoo, from Fremantle

reports left on 24th March, moderate S.E. to

Sunda Straits; on 16th having had light N.E.

winds and strong adverse current through

Straits, entered Banks. Straits on 21st; cleared

E.N.E. winds to Java Head; 4th May cleared

clear weather throughout the passage.

-Vessels at Swatow Egean and Fushun.

N.E. wind and fine with sea smooth.

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HONGKONG, MAY 20th 1985.

In our intercourse with the Chinese in general, and it the administration of justice in particular, nothing is so fruitful of perplexity as the feeling of insecurity arising in one's mind from the impression that a native is not exactly speaking the truth. It has been rather than defile the historic page of the fail in its effect at once._ Empire with wost wasnot. Dr. Legge, who when he first knew them, admits most reluctantly amidst all recent changes (and here we give the ipsissima verba of the worths Doctor) "that there remain altogether unmitigated the want of reverence for truth, and the shrinking from hoking, fairly, at the realities of their condition and relations; and these are the evils from which China is suffering at the present day." Their great sage, be tells us, was destitute of this holy reverence for truth, not besitating to pervert or suppress the facts of history, when these happened to tell against his theories. ther, be charges him with the heavy indictment of lowering among his countrymen the standard of this most import int virtue.

With a people so menticious as the Chinese, it is not surprising, then, that the native magistrates should have recourse to heroic measures in order to arrive at some approximation of the truth. The Chinese mandarins know well what ingrained liars their countrymen are especially so when self-interest is concerned, and their method of bambooing both witnesses and prisoners to truthfulness, the only recourse left them, is, ceteris paribus, only after all a shade or two more painful than an abusive cross-examination of a European witness by a brow-beating barrieter. Under the present condition of affairs in China, it is questionable whether a more efficient deterrent of crime and disorder could be found, and it is also questionable in the present low regard for truth enterof a case could be elicited in any other way

Evidence on oath is unknown in China; whether the imposition of oaths is against national custom, or that the officials at some remote period arrived independently at the conclusion now almost universally held by jurists, that a judicial oath adds no fresh guarantee for truth in a man disposed to bill not only of vital importance to us here in the truth, while in the case of a man whose Hongkong, but is of equal importance to ways are dark and tricks are queer, it not colonies where Chinese most do congregate, only gives him shelter but actually gives a land we take this opportunity of recommend. Her Majesty's Government have considered the stimulus and a zest to his mendacity, we are ling the facts thus disclosed by M. GROOTE unable to decide. At the same time, in the to all those who desire more efficient Chinese absence of a bamboo examination, in our testimony in Colonial Courts of Instice. courts there is nothing against, but everything in favour of, some solemn form. addition to the dedaration in use, of reminding the witness not only of the legal penalties attached to the offence of wilfully giving false evidence, but of the serious moral and religious issues, that are likewise involved in the matter. Emphatic attention to such matters must becessarily have an educative and moral value. The Chinaman too, is naturally an irreverent soul, and requives something to overawe him. As regards monotheistic peoples, no form of appear is more cogent than a reminder of the Divine Character and G wernment, and this is usually enough; but as regards the Chinese, who by a stretch of language might be termed Deists by proxy, some other form, call it outh, declaration, or imprecation, is slightly higher than those of last year. needed to give a quasi religious character, whereby the giving of their evidence might Kiangroo, the Russian steamer Zeariba, and s be rendered more impressive, and thereby German steamer. more efficient as regards truth. For all respectable Chinese and for a large humber that been making large purchases of ponies at the to be secured, not in the decapitating of but in a solemn appeal to Heaven to be witness to the truth of their words. In China, Heaven has been the name chosen to

term is unfortunately reserved for the use of the Emperor as representative Head of the Empire in addressing God, although it is also used by the converts of English and Gorman missionariss. This term could not be very conveniently employed, as it would savour too much of a presumptuous audacity. for an ordinary Chimaman to use it at present, and for the convert the translation of the present onth would suffice. Fortunutely, the older term" Heaven" is not so restricted in use and is regarded with almost unrivalled to be given by Ridgway's Grand Variety Troupe, at the Theatre Royal, City Hall, commencing toveneration by the people, perhaps only equalled by the reverence that Jews. Christians, and Mahommedans accord to Almighty God. Mr. MAYERS, we believe, advocated this form by saying that in making a solemn on the 18th, and may be expected to arrive here affirmation before Heaven, the Chinese are not without a sense of speaking the truth As the Earth is to the Chinese mind the scene of the ever active manifestations means necessary, to appeal to Earth as well

as Heaven. This is the more common form of appeal and has received the sanction of the sion. Suge himself. "The coronfonies of the sacritices to Heaven and Earth," says Confucius, are those by which we serve the Supreme o'clock. The following is the programme:-Dr. Legge in a recent " Present Day Song Tract." "Christianity and Confucianism compared in their teaching of The Whole Duty of Man," in the course of his argument

makes the following remarks, which may be

adduced in support of our present theme. Debarred from this linest worship of God reverence of Heaven, with groanings and complainings to It, or to God in Heaven, when they are auffering under calamity or other cause of distress. I have seen the falling of the terr in the bitterness of griel, and the upward glancing of the eye to the sky above. Recently, I was struck with a passage in the story of a young lady pressed to a certain course. She wished o avoid it a. d to trust in Heaven to bring about in a perfectly legitimate way. the object which it was intended to serve. "I have heard," he says, "that Heaven is sure to bring to pass the thing of which, Heaven has originated the purpo e." It was an expression, it seemed to me, of simple and gennine piety. uch a sentiment and su h language however, or rerely met with in Chinese Society or writings. where they do occur, it is us the calculations of the understanding moso than the gushing of the heart. hey are argumentative rather than emotional, orpressing the fear to offead Heaven, and not the wish

Dr. Legge's very qualifications help to susstated by no mean judge of men and man- thin our position; besides, it is refreshing to ners, the late Lord Elein, "that at all points know on so high an authority that the Chinese of the circle described by man's intelligence, have a calculating, and therefore intellectual the Chinese mind seems occasionally to have that is, a rational fear of offending High caught glimpses of a heaven far beyond the Heaven. At the same time we may be allowrange of its ordinary ken and vision;" but if ed to say that the very infrequency of appeals up to the French military authorities on board this was meant to be the heaven of truth, we is due rather to a sense of awe and reverence fear that the glimpses have been as rare as for the Suprema Being than to an absence angels' visits, few and far between. Not that of the sense of his presence. Besides, for the we dony that Chinese men for their views of purposes of our argument it is desirable not truth and for adherence to simple fact have to make a mere expletive of a term reserved borne torture with the firmness of a Mucius; for most solemn occasions. If it were as or have preferred to haid down their lives common as Mon Dien! or Ach Gotf! it would

never loses an opportunity of defending the this subject is a paper published in the China Chinese from many unfounded and really un- Review by M. GBOOT, Dutch Interpretegat just aspersions, and who likes them better at Pontianak, West Borneo, who has had ex- per cent. A French gentleman, it is said, lately the end of his thirty years' stay in China than ceptional opportunities of seeing in practice a modification of the plan weare advocating, said he knew nothing about the treaty and and which has been successfully in use in a accordingly exacted the usual 5 percent. hitherto portion of the Dutch Indies for more than If this be the case we have not heard the last of half a century. The importance of the sub- this matter, we may be sure; and it is to be seen ject must excuse a lengthy extract.

> Wit nesses are, as spon as they have given evidence, and under the open sky, to solemnly declare before Heaven and Earth that the plain truth, and nothing but the truth; has been told by thom. During the performance of this rite, the swears

holds one or three iroses sticks in his hands, for no Chinaman would venture to appear before his gods without this visible and odoriferous token of respect between his fingers. Two sticks may not be used. say, for a fixed formula is not prescribed, neither could, even if there were, a simple Chinaman be supposed to have learned it previously by heart. In this way the witness is made to state before Heaven and Earth that he has given evidence to truth; but of b own accord and without instigation he often adds an impree tory invocation of these two supreme dividties, exclaiming that they may destroy him and his whole offspring if he makes himself guilty of perjury.

A bow d la Chinoise concludes the coromony. It is at the feet of this omnipresent dual power the the Chinese of Borneo, in the way we have described nako their judicial oates. Some hundreds, perhans ere administered through my own mediation during the course of my official career, but I never perceive colness or indifference on the swearer's part. the contrary, most of them invoked Heaven and Earth with unfeigned devotion, fervour, and ardour; and I am convince that not more perjurers were among them than can be supposed there would have been gions onth. . Let it be noted, that the Chinese population of this colony is a mixture of Hakkas, Hoklos, and Fuhkienese, and that the oath is equally fitted for them. If, as they without exception regard Heaven and Earth as the two highest divinities. Most o them maintain, however, that it is sufficient to invoke the He ven only, because, as they say, wherever there

tained by the people whether the real facts actively; and with inch sense of duty, interest thenselves in judicial matters, whereabout they have a right of voting. Wherever they are allowed to co-operate in the administration of justice, they become in every respect conscious of the importance of their office, and in consequence of that of the cath. Colonial Government, availing of this, confidently commits the swearing of the witnesses to the Chinese members of the courts; and the test of the correctness if the measure is, that until now note single instance. of breach of trust has ever been recorded.

Earth witnessing the cath.

And further—

The matter we have been discussing i

The O. and O. steamer Occanic, with mails, arrived at Yokohama and will sail for this port

The Japan Herald says:—The Russians have bought up all the Cardiff coal in the market here. and are making active enquiries for steamers for transport purposes.

We are informed by Messes. Siemssen & Co., the agents, that the D. D. R. steamer Electra. on the 18th instent.

The charge of arson against the keeper of the Mi King shop in Bonham Strand was dismissed at the Supreme Coart vesterday afternoon, and Kwong, the chief witness against him, for per-

The Hankow tes market opened on the 12th instant. The prices paid (the Mercury says) are following steamers were at Hankow on the 11th: -The Glengarry, Glenfruin, Oopack, Talmo,

The French have says the Fenance Gautte. from disturbing French territory.

indicate the Suprema Being from time im- respecting the latter's occupation of Port and the coming ironclad, have therefore met the was also drunk. more individualized in the designation Su-says) confirms previous advises from other quar-like to provoke without more chance of the grant and a serious advises from other quar-like to provoke without more chance of the Rhosing, said which was practically unsupported. He argued The desphant was found 350 years afterward. The German Mandarins appear to be getting preme Ruler, whose worship under this later tors.

The Senior Naval Officer at Singapore is inviting meamen from the mercantile marine who wish to join the Royal Navy to apply on board H.M.S. Cleopatra.

The chartered oraiser Resetta, having com pleted her fitting, went out for a trial trip yesterday, and returned to her anchorage about halfpast six. She now flies the man of war ensign. We would call attention to the notice on our front page announcing a series of entertainments

We are informed by the Agents (Messrs Russell & Co.) that the E. & A. S. S. Co steamer Menmuir left Port Darwin for this port on the morning of the 28th instant.

The Shin Pao publishes a statement that Ge neral Wu Ta-cheng, who was recently deprived of the Vice-Presidency of the Court of Censors and endowed with brevet third rank, is to be sent Heaven, it has been usual, though by no to Russia to not on the Kirin Boundary Commission; and contradicts its former assertion that the person so appointed was Chang P'ei-Inn, who, it is rumoured, is going on an ambassadorial mis-

> The Band of "The Buffs" will play at the Officers' Moss this evening, communing at 8

By the Meadow-brook"...... Lange
"Soirée d'Eté"...... Waldte del "Les Cloches de Corneville" Planquotée

The British men-of-war Supphire and Swift loft Nagasaki on the 2nd, the Merlin on the 4th, As the roar of the tiger extends to every place, and the Daring on the 8th; destination not so does the fame of the dragon's jewel'" known. The Firebrand arrived at Nagasaki on Morcury. the 8th. According to the Rising Sun the chartered steamer Thales returned from Port Hamilton on the 6th, and after taking on board a quantity of rough spars, a lighter, and about a dozen bullocks, she proceeded to that port again

The Straits Times is informed that Mr. Cheang | miles ; in addition to which she has four smaller Hong Lim. one of the most liberal and enlightened | guns and four machine guns—two Nordenfeldt's of the Chinese merchants in Singapore, is erect- and two Gardner's—and terpedoes, and carries a ing a temple for the worship of the one true God-lerew of 150 men. The commander of the Osprey recognized by all nations (Train Allah). It is informs the Editor of the Ceylon Observer that intended specially for Chinese worshippers, but the present Colombo battery must not be looked all others will be welcome. The temple, which upon as the weak and insufficient defence the s in River Valley Road, nearly opposite Hong inhabitants have come to regard it. Capt. Lim Market, is now nearly completed. It is a Dowding and his officers, he states, consider the handsome building in the Chinese style, and will iguas quite formidable enough to deter any cost upwards of \$11,000.

As the chartered French transport France was passing the Singapore roads on the 9th instant on her way to Tonquin, two soldiers of the Legion Etrangere jumped overboard with a views quires money. If you can raise the money, you to deserting. Captain Bradbery, the Acting Master Attendant, happening to pass at the time in his steam launch, picked up these men, but, instead of taking them ashore, he delivered them the France, and as the military law prescribes | therefore necessary that they should see to their death as punishment for desertion, it is generally defences. supposed these two men were shot when the France had gone out of the jurisdiction of British waters. Straits Times. —

The R myoon Gazette of 1st May says: - Mes Haas, the first French Vice-Consul in Upper Burmah, loaves for Mandalay this evening. We shall no doubt hear a good deal about this By far the most valuable contribution to his subject is a paper published in the China gentleman. Already there is some occupation for him in his official capacity. It appears, according to the new French treaty, it was agreed that all French goods imported into Upper Burmah should be charged a duty of 23 attempted to pass some goods at this rate, but Moollah Esmail, the Regal Customs Farmer. in competition with those of France.

The Daily News says :- The Chinese are actively discussing a rumour that the French have demanded the cession of the Pescadore Islands. We have not been able to verify this report; still the number of mules and amount of slightly congested, the ventricles of the a share in the Mi King shop in which the priammunition lately forwarded to Makung Island heart were empty as also the stomach, the coner was employed. because this number is exclusively employed by the lend some colour to it. It is surely rather pro- walls of which were reddish, which showed. Cross-examined by the Attorney-General people of this country in worship of the dead. Some mature to say that people is assured between that the deceased had been drinking: the spleen. The prisoner had no share in the business, he was mature to say that peace is assured between | that the deceased had been drinking; the spleen | The prisoner had no share in the business; he was France and China when no official intimation has was hypertrified. His opinion was that death | employed there. Employes in shops sometimes yet arrived to that effect from the North, and was caused by syncope; it might have been had shares but the prisoner had no capital. Witwhen such rumours as the one we have referred caused by a blow on the head, and also by fear. ness knew he had very little money as he was a to are prevalent." The same paper of the 14th There was nothing to show that death was friend of his. instant says :-- "We understand that a telegram! was received at Shanghai on the 13th instant from the Vicercy of Chihli, instructing native merchants to delay their shipments of rice to the North. This looks as though matters were still? unsettled." And on the 15th-" Our hesitation in accepting as true the report which reached us the boatswain (Brown) and the deceased were shop; his other name was Yuk Nam. He had of a Protocol having been signed between M. Patenotre and the Chinese Commissioners is daily confirmed from different sources. Yesterday we were informed on excellent authority that ed up and Brown got up himself. Deceased was he knew a person of that name had a share as he the advices received by the local official from Peking were 'very bad'-such was the express then came and struck deceased on the chest two say what the prisoner received for his wages sion employed—the French Minister having put for three times. Witness also received some blows Witness remembered the fire breaking out in the mong as many Christians, swearing their own reli- forward a demand to which it was impossible for on the chest. They then separated, and when shop. He did not know how it arose, but Lung the Chinese to accede. The negotiations ap- witness got as far as the companion, Brown came Kwong woke him up calling fire, and he went peared blocked, and the outlook was considered past him and aimed a blow at him, when he heard to the door and gave a similar alarm. He saw discouraging." The Courier of the 15th instant a jingle as if of handcuffs. Witness follow- the account books on the counter and he took says :-- "The air is full of unverified rumours of od Brown and saw Macdonald with his hands on them to another shop. He then went to call the difficulties between M. Patenotre and H.E. Li the shoulders of the deceased; they were talking. prisoner at Peel-street, and when he got to the at Tientsin. It is stated that M. Patenôtre is The boatswain then went with his head between stairs of his house he saw the witness Lung s a Heaven, there of course at the same time is an insisting on the cession of the Pescadores to the two and hit the deceased a blow on the head Kwong walking shead and the prisoner followed France; a proposterous demand, for why should with the irons [a bucket handle] and the deceased | They then all walked back and saw the fire. On China, having just inflicted a serious defeat on dropped down. The bostswain then went away the night of the fire there were three persons in Whitever may be alleged against the Chinese and France, give up territory? If China, were sue- leaving the deceased lying on deck. A man the house, usually there were five or six. The ing for peace, there would be more show of rea- named Evans picked up the deceased, who ap- prisoner did not usually sleep there, he usually son in the demand. If the demand is really peared to be dead, and witness went and called went home to sleep at his house in Peel-street. being made, it can, only be that M. Patenotre, the Chief Officer. Immediately after the boats. On the night of the fire he went out between

> the armistice was." believe that the general plans for the fortifications arrived by the last mail, and also hears that witness did not see him alive again: representations that have been made, and that an thing of the affair. All he remembered was his be done, they being companions. ironclad will be stationed at Singapore. Ru-coming on board and asking the boatswain to Cross-examined by the Attorney-Generalwith the existing forts and in the preparation knew.

I than they are likely to look for

where it was his intention to settle. He had I taken part in a concert on the evening of the 15th l instant, and on the following morning was found aused by heart disease, but this is not mentioned. The news of the sad event was contained in a hurried letter written just before the departure f the mail \sim

Pan Ting hain appears to have been very strangely dealt with by the Empress. It is acknowledged that he was personally brave, "always in the van of his army," and had been wounded by a bullet; but, on the ground that he was "unable to inspire the men under his command with a spirit of stubborn resistance." and did not prove himself a very successful strategist, he is forthwith dismissed from the service. The Government doubtless knows its own business best; but them fellows." Witness asked who it was and brave and efficient officers if it can afford to dismiss one of its best men because he was unsuccessful under certain trying circumstances.—N. Davis C. Daily News,

Chinese advertisements are not much behind those resorted to among so-called civilized trades men. Here is a translation of a Chinese inkmaker's shop bill at Peking :- "At the shop Tae-shing (prosperous in the extreme), very good ink; fine! Ine! Ancient shop, greatgrandfather, I grandfather father, and myself make this ink; fine and hard, very hard; ploked with care; selected with attention. This ink is heavy; so is gold. The eye of the dragon glitters and dazzles; so does this ink. No one makes like it. Others who make ink make it for sake of accumulating base coin and cheat, while I make it only for a name. My ink—my family never cheated—they have always borne good name. I make ink for the sons of heaven' and all the mandarins in the empire

H.M.S. Ospreu has arrived at Colombo from Bombay to protect that port. The Osprey is a composite sloop of 1.130 tons, 1.010 horse power, commanded by Captain H. W. Dowding; her heaviest two 7-in muzzle loading, guns, 41 tons, are capable of throwing a shot or shell over three single vessel making a mid on/Colombo au sufficient to reply effectively to a sustained bombardment. Capt. Dowding also writes :- "You want to be more securely defended with strong fortifications and long range guns; but it recan soon get your fortifications and guns. In

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great Naval War the functions of the Nav

would be to protect the Channel and the Med

terranean, and the Colonies would be to a large

extent dependent on their own resources. It

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THE NILE RAILWAY A COMMERCIAL ENTERPRISE. The Nile Railway is to be completed as a commercial enterprize.

FATAL DRUNKEN BRAWL ON THE STEAMER " RHOSINA."

COBONER'S INQUEST.

An inquest was held yesterday afternoon at

caused by anything else.

having been almost ignored by his own Govern- swain struck deceased the latter fell down and ap- seven and eight. That night witness slept ment for so many months, is anxious to assert peared to be dead; he fell down on the upper deck in the shop, falling asleep at about eleven himself, or that the Franch do not really wish to close to the foremast, near to No. 2 winch. Up to o'clock. Lung Kwong and Ng Atuk were also make peace, now that the expected troubles in the time the boatswain struck him deceased to sleeping there. He did not know how the fire Europe have been composed. It is not at all peared to be all right, as he was making a poise originated, and he had never heard anything improbable, however, that the real negotiations and had hold of the boatswain. It was at most said about setting fire to the house. After the are going on in Paris, and that the conclusion of about two minutes after Macdonald struck de- fire they found a place in which to live in Wing peace will be as suddenly announced some day as ceased on the chest that the boatswain struck | Kat street. Lung Kwong was there and he told him on the head. Macdonald did not seem to witness the insurance company were going to have hurt him at all. Witness did not know, give \$1,200 reward for anyone who would go up sixteenth yearly report, containing the Trea-The Singapore Free Press has reason to what the squabble was about. The men were all and give evidence against the master. He wantthe worse for liquor. After the deceased fell | ed witness to go up and do so and he refused, say-

Wm. Macdonald said he did not recollect any- did not speak about it as he thought it would not

of torpedoes, our contemporary says that "means Evan Evans, fireman on board the steamer home to worship at the tombs. He knew Ng | \$1,200 per annum. of precaution are by no means wanting so far Rhosina, said that on Sunday night about ten | Fuk was a Sun Ui man, but did not know the | Some necessary repairs have been made to the did this, the question is seriously in their hearts as the defence of New Harbour is concerned, and o'clock he came on board alone and went forward place he lived at. He did not tell Ng Fuk after- building, which have more than exhausted the at present—What is to be, or can be, done with the protection of the coal and the wharves as and changed his clothes. When he came upon wards about the matter, but he told the lawyers. fund formerly set aside for this purpose. It them? well as of the shipping that would seek New deck he saw that the carpenter and Macdonald | Re-examined-Witness himself had only re- will be seen that there is a debit balance of I In a day or two another diplomatic dinner is from Hamburg, left Singapore for Honglong Harbour for safety; and that Singapore can were fighting on top of the souttle on the main; turned two days from worshipping at the tombs. \$56.96 on the repairs account. give a good account of any one who tries to get deck; and then the deceased went to part them | Yeung Akin, married woman living in Peel. | The Committee have every reason to be pleased | Mr. Vissiere is daily to be seen at the in when he is not wanted. The laying of torpe- and ordered the bestswain out, saying the latter street, said her husband was Lenng Si Tong, un with the management of the institution, as a Japanese Consulate; so is Mr. Detring. does to protect the channel at New Harbour will had no business there. The bestswain remained assistant at the Tuck Lee compradore's shop. School and as a Home. Boys are leaving Telegraphic advices just to hand say Jupan necessitate the stopping of steamers through it standing by looking on, and refused to go She knew the prisoner, who lived in the same yearly competent for situations of trust in the is sending another High Commissioner here, of unless they are piloted by first class pilots with out. Davis said to would make him go out, house as she did. She remembered the first class pilots with out. Davis said to would make him go out, house as she did. She remembered the first class pilots with out. Davis said to would make him go out, house as she did. She remembered the first class pilots with out. the defendant intends proceeding against Long special certificates for the purpose, who will be said then they had some words, after which the 18th October last in the Mi King draper's year two have become students at the Medical B special visit. acquainted, under secrecy, with the only safe they had a fight. The bostswain then went shop. On that night she saw the prisoner come College at Tientsin, one of whom took a first channel. Another course has been laid out round aft and asked the deceased to come aft to home at nine o'clock and spoke to him, as she prize; others are clerks in the Dock Companies, the other side of Blakan Mati Island, which fight. Just at the No. 2 winch the decessed usually did. She did not see him go out again Telegraph Offices, and Canton Consulate. proves to be just as good a channel, if not better, struck the bostswain and the latter fell. Wit- before the fire. She had not been asleep that __At the Government inspection, 33 children and very little longer; and by this new channel ness saw Macdonald pull deceased from the boat night up to that, as she had been engaged wor- wore examined, of whom all but one passed. all other steamers and sailing and pulling heats swain, and the bestswain get up and went away shipping. She heard someone come and call The following is the classification of will be required to pass. The channel will-be and returned with a piece of chain and walked him "brother Kwong, brother Kwong, there is numbers now on the books:—, marked out with buoys and may perhaps in time up to the deceased and struck him under the ear a fire in our shop." It was the witness Lung prove a very useful passage, helping to reduce with it, and the decessed fell down. Witness Kwong who called him; Chang Pui was with the traffic through the narrow passage of New picked deceased up and deceased gave two gasps him, and all three went off together. There Europeans, Harbour and proving a permanent benefit to the and then was quite still. Witness sent for a were no other men in the house up to this time, place. With an ironclad in the roads and the lamp and saw, that deceased was dead. Up to and one of those who were with her then had now are not respectable this over-aweing effect is lislands near Sumbane and Bali, and the steamers three ports north and south of the harbour, the time he got the blow deceased was quite well. gone to the country, but the prisoner's concubine Cleater and Paknam are to take them to Hai- the town will be protected as well as New but was the worse for liquor; the bostswain was was here still. phong, to be used in Tonquin for the Force that Harbour; and there is no reason now to also the worse for liquor. Before this occurrence | Cross-examined by the Attorney-General-It harmless roosters, not in broken crockery, is said to be necessary to keep the Black Flags anticipate that any Russian vessels are likely in there was no fighting going on. Witness could was about one a.m. they came to call the prisoner the event of war to attack the place. They not say whather the bostswain went away for | Chau Yun Kwai concubing to the prisoner. would, as they well know, he rauning a great the purpose of getting the chain, but it looked as gave similar evidence. She said the prisoner, A correspondent writes to the N. C. Daily risk, for they have no basis of operations nearer if he did so. They were good friends as a rule. was with her from nine that night until the News from the North that an uneasy feeling than the North of China and no place to coal or After striking the blow the bootswain never apoke alarm of fire was given. prevails between China and Great Britain repair, The measures that have been taken, a word. He took away the chain. The deceased Mr. Ho Kai again addressed the jury on be-

The British gunboat Cockchafer, Lieutenant 40 Our readers will learn with regret of the death | ness, who was perfectly sober and told him that | a man of unsatisfactory character, and that Commander Boteler, arrived here yesterday from of Mr. Sanvlet, the talented musician who a murder was going on forward, but witness did against the evidence he had produced for the afforded so much pleasure to the music, laving not pay much attention to it thinking it was a defence, that man's evidence was not entitled to public of Hongkong during his short residence drunken brawl. He went out, however, and credence. He went through the whole of the here. Mr. Sauvlet recently went to Shanghai, found deceased apparently dead; he applied evidence given by the witness and that given restoratives but could not bring him to; he also by the other witnesses, pointing put what he consent for the police, who came on board and took the body of the deceased away. Deceased never dead in his bed. Death was most probably revived again. There was nothing to show that he had been struck, except a bruise on the fore-

> Edward Medland, cook on the Rhosina, said that on Sunday night the boatswain having come into the room and taken a shirt from his box and put it on, went right forward, after Cook, and R. Mitchell. which witness heard a noise there. Shortly ofterwards the boutswain came in again and dropped some iron in the centre of the room. boatswain then said "I have done for one of it must indeed have an inexhaustible supply for the boatswain said it was Davis. When he saw the iron on the floor, he ran out foreward and saw a man on deck apparently dead. It was

chain, in a sitting position; he did not bump his

the evidence and from the result of the post once pronounced worthless, and when he got mortem examination, his opinion was that the loutside again the prisoner and his friends had cause of death was syncope, which might have disappeared with his jacket. The complainant been caused by the blow on the head, and that however, gave his evidence at this hearing in blow as shown by the bruise and the swelling very unsatisfactory manner, and having stated found that the very piece was acted which his might probably have been given with the iron | that he never believed the ring to be gold, the pucket handle produced.

Thomas Duncan, P.C. 21, gave evidence as to the report made at the Station, in consequence of which he went on board the Rhosina and found the deceased lying on the deck of the vessel apparently quite dead. He caused the body to be Wm. Brown, the boatswain of the Rhosina,

who was present during the engaint, was told by the Coroner that if he wished to give evi dence then he might do so, but whatever he said might be used against him when a charge to be brought against him at the Magistrocy came on. He might, if he preferred, reserve his statement until then, as at all events he would and His Lordship warned him that he would be brought up before the Maristrate.-He re-The jury returned a verdict of manslaughter

against the beatswain. William Brown. SUPREME COURT.

19th May. CRIMINAL SESSIONS. BEFORE MR. E. J. ACKROYD, ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE.

THE CHARGE OF ARSON. Chun Kwong, trader, was again before the court on the charge of having feloniously set fire to his shop, the Mi King shop, at 11, Bonham Strand, on the 18th October, 1884. The Attorney-General (Hon. E. L. O'Malley)

prosecuted; Mr. Ho Kai, instructed by Mr. Ewens, for the defence. The case for the prosecution having been conladed the previous day, the defence remained. Mr. Ho Kai addressed the jury for the prisoner Ho said the case for the prosecution was based entirely upon the evidence of one man, that of the witness Lung Kwong, and as to the motives by which he had been actuated in bringing this serious charge against the defendant, he should have something to say later on. He wished first however, to call attention to the rest of the evid ence. The evidence of the other three material witnesses he should contend, afforded no corro boration of the evidence of this witness at all, as they knew nothing whatever of their own know Iledge, but merely what they heard from Lung Kwong; they all derived their information from him. He was the motive and source of it all, and he (Mr. Ho Kai) hoped to be able to show the jury that the story was nothing but a tissue of falso

the following evidence. . Li Tak Choung said he was engaged in the Californian business, being a member of the La Hing firm having been in the colony 30 ode years. He knew the prisoner, whose name was the Mortuary, before the Coroner, Mr. H. E. Chang Akweng, though he was also known by levied on all English and other foreign goods. Wodehouse, and a jury composed of Messrs. M. the name of Yuk Nam. Witness only knew him Falconer, J. R. White, and A. M. R. Poreira, by those two names, and never by the name of on the body of John Davis, fireman on board the Chung Kun; he was not Chung Kun. Witness whether English goods are to be handicapped P. and O. steamer Rhosina, who met his death had known him five or six years, and he was a as souffle on board that ship on Sunday even- good man. During the time witness had known the prisoner he had been an employé in a draper's Dr. Marques, said that he had made a post shop, and witness had never known anything wrong mortem examination of the body and found of him. Witness know a man called Chung Kun, that there was a contusion on the right but he had not seen him for a long time, and he side of the frontal bone, both lungs were had probably gone back to the country. He had

hoods, having no foundation whatever. He called

Chung Pui said he was formerly employed in John Jones, seaman on board the Rhosina, I the Mi King shop until it was burnt down on the said that on Sunday, between half-past ten and 18th October last. His employers were Li eleven p.m., he was on duty as watchman. He Kenng, Ng Fuk, Li Sui, and Chung Kun, and he heard a disturbance going on forward; and he knew only two of them Li Keung and No Fak went to see what was the matter and found that The prisoner, Chung Kwong was salesman in the squabbling with each other; they had hold of each | never known the prisoner by the name of Chung other, and Brown fell down on deck with the Kun, and he never signed himself as such. Witdeceased on top of him. Witness picked deceas- lass had never seen the partner Chang Kun, but then all right. Another man named Macdonald | had heard his master say so. Witness could not

ing that he had not the conscience to do so. He

half of the prisoner, and he urged again that the plant which had fought valiantly for the King, subject since last year, has got it. Our German about 11 o'clock he was called by the first wit. that according to his own account the witness was 'still bearing the above inscription.

tended to be inconsistencies and improbabilities. His Lordship having summed up, the jury found a unanimous verdict of not guilty; and the prisoner was discharged, upon which he at once repaired to the Magistracy to lay a charge Evans, recalled, said that the deceased fell of parjury against the witness Lung Kwong. on his posterior when he was struck with the

CHARGE OF FALSE PRETENCES. Chun Akiu was charged with having obtained goods by false protences. The following gentlemen composed the jury -Mesers, J. M. da Silva, L. de Britto, F. P.

Costa, F. R. do Rozario, Luk Ku Chune.

The Attorney-General presecuted The case at the Magistracy was that the pr soner and others played the familiar sham gold ring trick on the complainant, a man from the country. It was dropped before him, and on the pretence of sharing the ring with him, the prisoner and his accomplices induced him to go to s pawnshop to raise money on the ring, and made him first give his coat to them to hold as me Dr. Marques, recalled, said that having heard | curity. He went to pawn the ring, it was at Attorney-General said he thought it was useless to proceed with the case.

His Lordship said this statement of the complainant did away with fraud in the case. If he did not believe the ring was gold, there was no frand. He directed the jury to find a verdict of The jury returned a verdict in accordance

with this direction. His Lordship, in discharging the prisoner, informed him that he had been discharged upon a technicality, and not upon the merits of the case, as the complainant had given his evidence so unsatisfuctorily. He had been convicted previously. robably not be so fortunate next time, would be severely partished. CHARGE OF LARCENY.

Chan Acheung was charged with stealing three jackets, a clook, and two pairs of trousers from the house of a woman named Wong Ammi, a concubine living in Wing Wo-street, on the

The complainant and another woman living in the house stated that the former found th prisoner in her room making up a bundle of her more satisfactory. The Monocacy went out as clothes and a clock. She soized him and pulled far as the buoy, but turned back on account of him out of the room with the assistance of the other woman, and a Sikh constable was called in. and arrested the man with the bundle in his

The prisoner alleged that the woman had borrowed \$9 of him, and he went to her for pay ment. She refused to pay him, a quarrel ensued. and this case was trumped up against him: He said the bouse was a sly brothel. The jury, after some consideration, found th

risoner guilty. The prisoner pleaded guilty to a previous con Sentence was deferred.

THE CASE OF ME. MC CLYMONT'S BOY. Chun Ashu, a boy lately in the employ of M McClymont as a substitute, was brough before the court on the charge of stealing a watch, chain, appendages, a ring, and oth things belonging to his employer at Stonehenge. The prisoner pleaded guilty, and sentence

INFORMATION NOT FILED. In the case of Yung Acho, who was convicte larcony on board the steamer Yorkshire by Mr. Wodehouse at the Police Court, and which lecision was reversed upon appeal_to Supreme Court, and committed for trial, prisoner will be discharged, no information being

In the case of Ng A Ip, who was committed ! ial on a charge of burglary at Mong Ke Isni, the Attorney-General was not prepared proceed, and it was adjourned to next Sessions The Sessions were then adjourned to Friday

> POLICE COURT. 19th May.

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE. SUMMARILY DISPOSED OF. Chun Avan, unemployed silversmith, wa charged with having stolen a pair of trouser valued at tencents, on the 27th nit.

The case was before the court about three weeks since, and was a very simple one, the e dence being to the effect that a woman hung out the trousers to dry on a bamboo from her win dow, and she went out in time to see the prisoner running off with them. She gave chase, and the in his hand. Though the case was of a very petty haracter the prisoner was committed for tria w Mr. Wodehouse on account of there being tive, provious convictions recorded against him ut the Attorney-General sent the case back to the court to be summarily dealt with.

His Worship dismissed the case. CHARGE OF POCKET PICKING.

John Douglas Swanson, seaman, was charged with having stolen a purse containing \$5. can the person of T. Ludewig, chief officer. the German schooner Albatross, on the 18th inst On Monday evening both men, who were each omewhat under the influence of liquor, especially the complainant, were in a Japanese brothel, and complainant and an inmate of the house said the prisoner too's complainant's purse out of his rousers' pocket. A constable was called in and he was given in charge.

The case was remaided. SQUATTERS ON THE FORESHORE. Eleven Chinese were charged with committing breach of the sanitary regulations by establis ing themselves on the foreshore at Yaumat thereby causing a nuisance. The defendants were convicted and fined 25

THE DIOCESAN HOME AND ORPHANAGE.

The following is the report of the above nstitution for the year 1884-85:-to all who are interested in this institution their I

fourth page. It is larger than usual and has These Black Flags have again become a sore enabled the Treasurer to close the yearly ac- apple in Chinese eyes. The question is, what count with a very small balance in hand. The is going to be done with them? The French mours of many kinds have, says our contemporary, have a drink, and he replied he would come in a Witness did not know the master Chung Kun, Committee take this opportunity of expressing may not want them, nor do they care to leave been flying about the place during the week, few minutes. They had a drink and then wit- as he had never seen him, nor had he seen the their thanks to all who have so liberally aided Tonquin like the Chinese troops, who by leaving and "among others was a report that one or two ness and the carpenter had a row, what about he partner Li Sui. Witness had no share in the them. As was stated in the last report, these Tonquin return to their homes, whereas the Regiments of Madras Native Infantry were could not tell. After that he remembered have business, and was paid \$2 s month. It was about subscriptions are for a purpose which is purely Black Flags would have to leave the homes being sent here, but there was no foundation ing seen the deceased lying on deck; did not rethe 26th or 27th December that the witness charitable. The Home with its present inmates which they have in Tonquin and go to find a for it whatever." Referring to the work which member seeing any one strike him. Witness Lung Kwong asked him to give evidence against and day scholars (55 in all) would be self-sup- home in China for themselves. It is no woulder Major MacCallum, Captain Cameron and was the worse for liquor. Did not know how de the master. Ng Fuk was in the colony at that porting were it not for the fact that several therefore that they are determined to fight and Lieutenants Duritt and Jeffreys, all of the Royal ceased came by his death. Deceased and the time, but witness did not think it necessary to orphan children and others left in necessations embroil China more with France. Her Majesty; Engineers, have been engaged in in connection boatswain were on good terms, as far as witness | tell him about it, as he did not think it would be circumstances are taken in, some at a very low | he doubt now regrets Her Edict of last August done. He had heard that Ng Fuk was gone rate and some free, occasioning a loss of about in which she was pleased to recognize the Black

BOARDERS. DAT SCHOLARS.

Extraction. Boys. Boys. Girls. TOTA W. JENNINGS, Hon. Becretary. Honokong, 28th April, 1885.

of India, he dedicated to the Sun a great ple. Syndicate, whose agent has been here on this

SHANGHAI.

The British barque Lee Yih was put up for auction on the 18th instant by Mesurs. Mackanzie & Co., and was knocked down at Tls. 2.9 i). A Chinaman was the purchaser.

A number of foreigners who, as neals, ar said to haunt the coult regions of Bamboo Equare, Hongkew, accepted the offer of a Colestial store-keeper in Hongkew to proceed with a supply of fresh and preserved provisions to the French fleet cruising about Gutzlaff. A houseboat was hired, the stores taken on board, and four intrepid foreign speculators, embarked to run the gountlet of the Woosung Forts. This was about five days ago. News reached here on the 14th that the Chinese authorities, having got wind of the blockade running party, watched them; they were taken prisoners of war, and are said to be kept in the Woosung Forts

A new piece appears to be running with much success of late at some native theatres in Shanghalf As it is said to be of a very licentions character Mr. Huang, the Mixed Court Magistrate issued a proclamation to the effect, prohibiting its performance, and in each theatre a copy of the proclamation has been preted. Now it happened a few nights ago that Maloo "Holomon," in order to refresh his fertile brain, after a hard, day's work in the famous "Hall of Justice," visited one of the theatres in Canton Road, and the first thing which caught his eye on entering the theatre was his proclamation. However, to his surprise he proclamation had taboord, and consequently he left the place in flery wrath. The editor of the Shunpao, in commenting on the subject in a leader to day, thinks the produmation void, and in order to make it valid the Court of Foreign Consuls should be patitioned to interfere with the repre-

sentation of the piece in question.—Mercury.

The U.S.S. Monocky left the harbour on the 14th instant on her trial trip, to test the capabilities of her new boilers that were sent out from the United States and have been put into her by Messrs. Boyd & Co. The way in which everything worked reflects great credit upon this firm; and the trid trip is declared to be a great success. The maximum speed obtained was 11:7 knots. Observations were taken or ry ten minutes both in the engine room and gideck; the greatest number of revolutions was 26, the average 21, and the minimum speed 9.3 knots, which is considerably faster than the quickest time the Monocacy was in the habit of making, with her old boilers. It is worthy of romark that the boilers did not feam, a very common occurrence with new boilers. All on board agree with the chief engineer in saying that on the whole, the trial could not have been

a thick fog coming up. - Courier. When the Waverley arrived here on the 13th instant she had on board the body of a Chic. man, in a native coffin. The steamer was bear . ed by the French at the mouth of the river, and the officer in charge of the boarding expedition. coming upon this coffin in the course of his search, had his suspicions seriously aroused, and proposed to open the coffin to see if it contained munitions of war. He was warned, however, that the occupant had been dead for a considerable time, and that the consequences of reintroducing him to the light of day might be serious. Finally he decided not to risk the experiment, and trusted to the Captain's word that the coffin contained nothing of a more dangerous nature than a defunct Chinaman.

On the morning of the 14th instant, as the Tientsin was going down the river, bound for Chefoo, she ran into the Gleneagles, and the former boat sustained considerable damage. The Tientsin was going full speed at the time, and as she neared the Glenagles, which is lying at anchor below the old Ningpo Wharf, a junk stood right across her bow. The Gleneagles was swinging with the tide, and the Treatsin, in trying to avoid the junk, ran right into her stern, staving in two plates with her starboard uncher, and knocking away a quantity of the ornamental gilt work on her stern. The Tientsin received much more damage than the Glencaples, having a house on deck laid completely flat, while two bosts were dislodged from the devits and injured, her starboard anchor bent, her main rigging carried away; and indeed almost a clean sweep being made of the starboard side of the ship. The Tientsin starboarded her helm as soon as the collision became imminent, but not in time to avoid the mishan; and the result was that the junk was also run into her mast being knocked out and a board on which one of the ship's eyes was painted, carried. away. The Tientsin put back to Boyd's Dock

The ex-detective Tsao Si-yang was brought back to Shanghai from Soochow on the 13th instant and is now in an inner gaol at the Taot'ai's Yamen. According to accounts which we have heard from those who have seen him he shows torrible signs of the suffering he has undergone. One of his wrists has been broken in the torture; and at present his wrists and legs are chained together, while his hands are kept extended from his face by a piece of bamboo fastened at one end to his wrists and at the man was arrested by a constable with the trousers other to a chain round his neck. This bamboo is only removed while the wretched prisoner is taking his meals, for which his termenters allow him only a few brief minutes, hurrying him all the time and demanding money from him in return for any slight relief from his sufferings which they may allow him. Si-vung stoutly denies over having signed the confession to get which he has been fortured, stating that his hand was seized, his thumb dipped by main force into the ink, and than placed at the foot of the confession, this being taken as a signature. He says his gaolers have told him that he is to be kept for two years imprisoned in Shanghai, and is then to be sent back to Socchow. Verily are Chinese officials more savage than the beasts.— N. C. Daily News.

TIENTSIN.

Last night there was a dinner at the Chinese dmiralty on the French Concession, given by Li-Hung-chang. He entertained, at 7 pm., Their Excellencies Hau Teng, Wu, M. Patenotre and suite, Mr. Ristellineber, and the Customs Taotsi; also Mr. Detring; the latter gentleman had H.E. Li's order to prepare the dinner. It was said that after dinner they were to discuss the arrangements for peace between France and China. The Chinese say the only hitch is that the word chies, beg to treat, is to be inserted in the Treaty. France insists on the word e, like to treat: this will remove the hitch, everything The Committee have pleasure in presenting will be as marry as welding bells. The Chinese point out that they are right, because Li Hungplang went to Chefoo to most Sir Thomas Wade, surer's account and the list of subscriptions whereas M. Patenôtre came to Li Hung-chang. Another fight is reported by telegraph be-The subscription list will be found on the tween the French troops and the Black Flags. Flag leader, the famous Liu Jung-fu. As she

to be given, when the subject is to be resumed.

Mr. Colquhoun did not go to Koroa, but came here, where he is now. M. Patenotre and the new Belgian Minister called on Li Hungshang yesterday morning. the The result of the call is so far that there is no doubt of the peaceful solution of the Franco-Chinese question. At Peking they are determined so far to carry out their ougagements and to have peace at any cost the political eyents in Europe and those Memorials launched against peace notwithstanding. This time the resolutions taken by Her Majesty and Prince Chun will be carried out.

The news is now spreading that at Peking and here with Li Hung-chang, it is definitely fired to have railroads immediately that peace is As an instance of the great age to which eie- alried between France and China. Rumour phants sometimes live, it is said that when this it that Mr. Detring has secured the business Alexander the Great had conquered Porus, King for an American house; others say that a London

memorial, an ide, that afterwards because Hamilton, and add that we shall soon hear much occasion, and Singapore has an answer to give, [The chain this inscription; Alexander, friends also claim that they have got it through

the French Cousulate, with the French

here from Peking, including the new Bishop, who are daily conferring with the French Minister .- Moroury-Correspondent,

NEWCHWANG.

officially confirmed here, but there are all kinds speciorate-General.

Port Hamilton between the British, Russians, and Koreans. Chiun, the latter will find it difficult comfortably

to dispose of the many thousands of Honan and other braves. Arrangements are already being made for the shipment of some of the soldiers in case of necessity, and no doubt most of them will be sent back to the plough poorer but not The weather keeps cold, fires being still pleasant in the mornings and evenings.—N. C. Daily News Correspondent.

IMPERIAL DECREE ON THE CHI. NESE "VICTORY" AT CHINHAI.

News' translations from the Peking Gazette:port of Chen-hai (Chinhai) under the following

From the 1st to the 5th of March repeated. attacks were made by enemy's fleet upon the port of Chinhai in Chekiang. Ou-yang-Li-chien, General in command of the infantry and marines. assisted by the officers in command of the steamflotills, fired upon the enemy's ships, which were struck time after time, and so damaged that are now chosen.

The bravery displayed in this encounter may be considered as deserving of commendation, and We command Liu Ping-chang to repeat his exhortations to the officers engaged to continue to maintain a close and vigorous defence, which must not be relaxed in the slightest particular. Tu Knan-ying, sub-prefect, Fei Chin-shon Lieutenant Colonel, Wu Chieh, Captain, and Chou Mao-haun, supernumerary officer, wounded, whose activity on the present occasion was for insertion in the general list of officers recommended for distinctions which will be hereafter submitted to Us.

REDUCTION IN THE PAY OF-MARINE ENGINEERS.

For some months past it has been rumoured of Russian movements in Asia, as practiced on intended to reduce the pay of the officers. somewhat agitated about the matter, which, how The Captains, have already been put through, ever, is not one of unusual occurrence, but merely all their perquisites being cut off, and now they on a larger scale than customary. receive their bare pay, which is not so large | Wu Ta-jen, Imperial High Commissioner. as it was a few years ago, a scale of reductions armed with full powers, and with special instruchaving gradually been put in force. Now the tions, will soon leave for Moukden, and from owners have taken definite steps with regard to | that place he will visit the long line of boundary a reduction of the pay of the engineers, as will separating China from Asiatic Russia. There be seen from the following, which is a copy of lare some difficult questions of delimitation to a printed letter that has been sent to the arrange, involving rights of ownership to gold engineers on the different steamers :-

SHANGHAI, 1st May, 1885. According to an agreement entered into by the local steam ship companies, the pay of all promotions and appointments is fixed on the following scale :-

closed to be filled up—that you are propared to accept the pay mentioned above when your turn comes for

[COPY OF RNCLOSED FORM].

With reference to your letter of 1st May., 1885. giving the scale of pay for all promotions and appointments, I beg to state that I am prepared to dispute, in which Russia will be able, whenever accept the pay stated namely accept the per month, chief engineer \$150 per month, so soon as | party, forced to intervene against her will, and my turn comes to receive promotion.

tions are to be resisted. How, or by what means, well watched, and the Chinese would do well it remains to be seen. The influence of the Amal- | they sent some of the German officers to prepare gamated Society of Engineers scarcely extends forts and stockades at stratogic points, and to to these shores, and it would seem that there is | drill the hardy levies raised in Manchuria. not unity among the engineers themselves, black. These Manchurian soldiers are very fine fellows. legs being at hand ready and willing to accept. Their race now is rarely pure, as the Chinese the wages offered. We hear that five have al. | admitture has become general, so much so that ready been engaged to fill positions refused by the Manchu language is fast becoming disased old hands next on the list for promotion, and But the mixed race of Manchus and Chinese is that others are ready to be employed. The mem a fine one. The men are large, strong. hardy. bers of the Marine Engineers Institute are, we land fearless, and if drilled and armed would understand, to take the matter in hand. It is a keep the soil from invasion. question on which we make no comments at pre-

The same paper in its issue of the 15th says: __ | seekers. Originally these fellows were soldiers. mies have to be exercised. Wages ere every. With them is a considerable number of esaped where being out down, and in Shanghai a mercan- convicts, and the rowdies of Manchuria also tile assistant who a few years ago was paid Tls. associate in the lawless bands. In summer the 150 and Tls. 200 per month for doing little more men wash the river sands for gold dust and than nothing, has now to work hard for £120 or | nuggets, and their gains are large. In winter £150 per year. The exigencies of the times must | they turn to brigandage and bands of men, somebe met. Marine engineers and the captains of times numbering 200, infest and harry the our coasting steamers have long withstood the country. The robbers are nearly always on the text-bookses "a species of decupodous crustacem." oft repeated threatenings of a reduction of pay, frontier line. If Chinese troops press them they The category is hardly an aristocratic one; and But steamer owners apparently think they go outo Kupian ground. Sometimes the Chinese | the decapolous crustacean may be warmly conhave grappled with the difficulty, and pursue, and enter Kupian territory. Some gratulated on the decision in his favour which have now taken a determined stand. A times the robbers are driven, from Russian has been given in the Court of Queen's Bench. great change has been effected by discreet grada- territory, and take refuge on Chinese soil. No. Two learned judges have ruled upon a case subtions. New captains were made on a reduced turally, Russian troops pursue, and then, consisted to them from Yorkshire (the Natural scale, the old "salts" being gradually weeded cont, and then all the perquisites were lopped off Russian invaders and the Chinese frontier post cray-fish is a fish, within the meaning of an Act at one stroke, so that a ceptain now receives his guards. In 1875 a small force of Russian soldiers of Parliament. \$175, or it may be his \$200 per month, and no entered China, at a point near to the Karean When one considers how closely bears are more. Successful with the captains, the owners boundaries and were brought up at a place in the allied, their differences in tractability are very commenced operations on the engineers, and it is Chinese dominions over 100 miles from the singular. The grizzly bear is as awkward a cusreported that some half dozen have been taken Russian bounds. So that, while no doubt the tomer as his polar confrère. The great Russian on at reduced pay. There is talk of a combined Russian method are according to plan and bear is an evil beast, but his disposition is mild opposition to the proposed reduction, but no or systematic enough for development of claim and as compared with that of the huge hairy-eared ganisation among the engineers has been made action at a convenient season in the coming bear of Siberia. The ordinary European bear is public. They are a class of men who can be time, the frontier collisions are frequent and in amenable enough; while the Himalayan beat, trusted to manage their stairs directly, and their | general so unimportant that years may pass | with his despfur and round ears and white chest, respectability is perhaps the strongest lever that | without even diplomatic notice being taken on | is easily tuped, and is capable of strong personal will work in their favour. In this respect the either side. marine engineers on the coast of China compare most favourably with those in any other part of very great Gold is it is said—in all the rivers amusing ones" and 'very playful. The Syrian the world, and it is no exaggeration of truth to and streams, and, in fact, the whole region may bear has not mended his ways since the days of say that this happy result has been brought about be said to be richly auriferous. Silver lead is Elisha. If you get a good-tempered hear of a almost entirely by the good influence exerted by said to abound, also copper. I do not know if good sort, you can do almost anything with him the Marine Engineers Institute being conducted there is coal, but there are large deposits of the is a most intelligent beast, and takes a pride on temperance principles. And while it is unitable, same as in the country around Possiett in being made much of; but you must always be versally regretted that the necessity has arisen and Vladivostock. | The forests are magnificent, on the lok-out even with the best-behaved of for steamboat owners to attempt to reduce the unfortunately there are no means of bringing bears. pay of their engineers, it is also universally leared the beautiful woods to market. There are that only an interior class of men will be found thousands of square miles thickly covered with of sport, the horse takes quite as intelligent to accept the pay offered, a class of men who cak ash, elm, beach, birch, conferous trees, an interest in what he is expected to do as any cherish the rum bottle with the same earnest—hadmatack magnelia/dwarf oak pitch and red animal in creation, as the following anecdote ness that the present engineers as a body cherish pine, locust, &c., &c. on the slopes, and in the proves:—A few days ago, in the pasture in which temperance and respectability. The cheapost valleys, there are thick and succulent grassis for Dr. Wu. Sheppard keeps a number of his man is not always the best, as has been previous. cattle food. Unfortunately it will not be pos- patients after they are treated, a singular sight ly proved in connection with the mercantile sible to rear herds of cattle on the territory, as was witnessed. Strange it was, yet true, and marine of Bhanghai, and it is certain that tigers, panthers, and wolves are numerous and showed the intelligence of track horses and sobriety will hold its own against drunkenness, oxen, horses, and sheep would be preyedupon their foolness for racing. The pasture is a mile owners, is long and nearly as wide, and there is quite to owners, will be RESPONSIBLE for any

wages, \$95 per month. If this be so, it would account. their livelihood, would take so decided sotion to eight millions sterling yearly, probably—in have seen the apparent delight these horses took

9th May, | body, are much stronger than their superiors It gives me great pleasure to be able to report | contemplate. Old engineers on leave at home that there is to be peace, and that very shortly have been informed of the change it is sought peace between France and China will be signed to bring about, and an impression provails here. The conditions have been arranged by that home influence is to be brought to hear to legram between here and Paris, by H. E. Li to prevent engineers coming out here to sup-Hing-chang and the Foreign Office at Paris, plant their follows. This may be said to have found an exemplification in the harbour To-day at 5 p.m. Li returned the visit of the the other day, when two engineers were asked Belgian Minister after which Li accompanied to leave a large ocean steamer to join a counting by Hsu, Tseng, and the Castoms Tuotai, will ding bont and they refused. The Scottish element predominates, and their clannishness binds them We have almost all the Roman Catholic clergy of a trade society, and they fear not the attempt that might be made for samplant them by imporling engineers from America or elsewhere. Good, sobor men, do not care to engage in an expedition of the kind, and drunkards would lose the owners more money by detentions of the vessels than the old pay to their presentatus would amount to. The members of the Marine Engineers Institute are capable of taking all The news regarding the appointment of Sir | these matters into their consideration, and it is Robert Hart as British Minister has not been not likely that they will willingly comply with officially confirmed here, but there are all kinds the proposed reduction. On the contrary there of rumours flying about as to the future In- is every indication that they intend to resist it, and it will be interesting to watch this almost Natives say there has been some trouble at maiden struggle between capital and labour in the Par East.

In the event of peace between France and PROPOSED GORDON AND PARKES MEMORIAL IN SHANGHAI.

A correspondent signing himself "Respect" writes to a Shanghai contemporary as follows:-Having read your article suggesting that the botter men than when they were taken from Shanghai by a memorial school, worked by a a large part of their rightful gains. Board of Managers, on strictly undenominational The following appears in the N. C. Daily might be appointed to carry out the object in for the greatly needed and indispensable supplies view. A school of the kind you suggest is sailly of the presions metal. March 20th -- (1) A Decree: Liu Ping-chang | wanted in Shanghai, was the fact should not be forgetten that there is another man I amsure we should all delight to honour, Sir Harry Parkes, and the school might be a joint commemoration of their names, and be called The Gordon and, Parkes Memorial School. That the school would be self-supporting there is no doubt and the board of managers could be elected at the annual meeting of Ratepavers in the same way that the Governors of the General Hospital

> THE BOUNDARY BETWEEN CHINA AND ASIATIC RUSSIA.

The Tientsin correspondent of the Shanghai Courier, writing on the 9th May says :---It is impossible to get any authentic details about the rising or revolt in Hashgar against the Chinese, but letters have come from Lanchaufu and Su-chaufu in Kansuh stating that especially marked, will have their names recorded a revolt of importance had occurred in Kashgaria and that the Moslem revolters had been so far successful.

A serious dispute has occurred on the Chinese frontier of the Amur Ferritory. A body of Russian cossacks, probably itregulars recruited from the native Siberian trices, attacked a Chi ness fortified post, was repulsed, but threatmed The Shanghai Courier of the 12th May says: to renew the attack. Evidently a new example that the three great steamer Companies here the borders of Afghanistan. The Chinese are

> fields which are said to be rich. There are also questions concerning free navigation of the part of the Amur river which flows through Chinese territory, and about certain depreso rights of access, which in accordance with the recent St. Petersburg treaty, Russia claims from Chica on the rivers Sungari and Ousuri. The Chinese Government repents itself of the agreement, which will give not only access to Russian traders and Russian pioneers, but also will involve rights of residence, extraterritoriality. and-according to precedent-will hereafter need Russian armed forces to occupy, rectify and arrange the affairs of the country, and finally, annexation will follow for the sake of

All the elements are ready for a beautiful scoopt the pay stated, namely, second engineer \$100 | she pleases, to prove clearly she is the aggriced mada with reluctance to occupy for the sake of Rumours are current that the proposed reduct peace and quietness. The matter should be

The Chinese Amur region is much infested by brigands. In most cases, the man are gold With depression of trade, the strictest econo: who have deserted or have been disbanded.

The wealth of the Chinese Amur region is really, in Artemus Ward's language, "a most

unless they were backed up from some source, fast much more, as the system of robbery is in their novel race they would never again say Willy, Ger. bk., C. L. Henne. Carlowits & and it may turn out that the engineers, as a general and systematic, so that the rich Russian laught spainst racing,

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memory of General Gordon be perpetuated in lowners of the suriferous heds are defrauded of Any way, China has, whenever she chooses to lines, I hope, Sir, you will allow me to express turn the wealth to account, an enormous resource my wish that the proposal will be carried out. in her gold mines and washings, and as gold It seems to me that the Municipal Council are from its scarcity is continually appreciating, the proper persons to move in the matter; they and silver from its excessive supply is continumust know that nothing would be more popular ally undergoing depreciation of value, the world than a memorial to Gordon, and after they had may before long have to look to the gold deposits started the movement, a Committee of residents of Mancharia and the Chinese Amar territory

LATE TELEGRAMS.

[FROM THE "RANGOON GAZETTE."] LONDON, 23rd April.

An explosion, supposed to be from dynamite, took place to day at the office of the Secretary's department, Admiralty. Mr. Swainson, As sistant Scretary, was seriously_injured. LONDON, 24th April. Mr. Venon Harcourt, replying to a question in the House of Commons, said that the Dynamite placed in Mr. Swainson's room was of small quantity and that but slight damage had been done

«Boмbay, 30th April. The Times of India correspondent with the Boundary Commission, telegraphing on April 23rd, says General Komaroff, informed the Czar before March 30th that Pulikhisti was Russian territory. At an interview on March 29th the Russian representative informed the British officers that the fact that General Komaroff had stated Pulikhisti was Russian territory was sufficient to constitute it as such. The British officers pointed out the absurdity of the theory, the Afchens being in possession. Before the battle of Penideh the Russian officers circulated reports that the Ameer was imprisoned in India by the British Government. The position regarding Herathas completely changed since the fight at Penideh. The people are neutral but give credence to Russian statements. The attitude of the Mussulmans of Turkistan probably depends upon the position taken up by the Sultan. Loyal demonstrations in India are having excellent effect in Turkistan and are convincing the people of the high esteem in which the British Go vernment is held by the natives of India.

Lanore, 30th April. 24 followers of the Boundary Commission died on the 4th and 5th April during a storm on the Paropimisus despite every effort made to save Sevent officers remaining at Ehahmaisabz rescued numbers from death. When the storm abated on the 5th much baggage was looted by natives and transport drivers, many suffering from froshite while many animals have died The Afghas gave no assistance. Sick and baggage were expected at Tirpul on 11th.

Later reports say that Russians are in occupaion of Akhapa and constructing a road through Quern's Road, lately occupied by Penideh to Herat. Colonel Alikhanoff; gave Yulatan. The Russian main body is beieved to have withdrawn northwards. The Afghans who defended Penjdeh are demo-1:--about the future, supplies not being readily forthcoming. Indeed a gentle system of boy cotting hasset in. The full extent of Russian violence during the past two months is not publicly known, Ministerial statements being reserved. Afghan feeling is searcely likely to tolerate a repetition of the Penideh episode.

A bazagrumour in Lahore says the Ameer of Cabul was assassinated on the 28th at the instance of some of his influential subjects who are opposed to his making overtures to England after the attitude of members of the Boundary Commission who passively stood by during the late Penjdeh outrage. Colonel Sandford, Daputy Quarter Master

General, has returned to Simla and is drawing up a report of his tour to the trans-Indus districts in connection with the proposed new road to Peshin by North Harnai route. The statement that Major Nicholson. R.E., is not to proceed to Herat because the Ameer expressed his apprehension of the hostility of the tribesmen towards English officers travelling in Afghanistan is incorrect; no such proposal has THOUR COMMODIOUS GODOWNS een made to the Ameer.

The following notice appeared at one of the Thames piers lately: "Passengers are requested not to leave the steamer until securely fastened to the stare." The craviish is defined by the Natural History

attachment. The little sun bear of Borneo is

While there, is no combination among the enormously valuable, and the Chinese govern- number of horses there, among them May H., DEBT contracted by the Officers of the Crews engineers to stand out as a body against the ment would do well to have a thorough survey 2-261; Billy M.; pager, 2-231, of the following Vessele during their stay in steamboat owners, coercion is being used, and it made, roads and communications opened, and a green horse, good for about 2-30. On Exic is not easy for the employers to fill the vacancies immigrations of Chinese from overpopulated day last it was noticed that a few horses were as they arise under the terms of the new regime. and unfertile regions encouraged. A glame at apparently having a face, and on going out and For instance, we hear that a third engineer who the map will show your readers the immense watching them the above four horses were found accepted the reduced pay of \$70 per month, less extent of the Manchurian country, and as the to be in a race in which there was no drivers to Agnes, Brit. str., C. O. Madge. E. E. A. & C. than aix weeks ago, could not keep his position; winter, though vigorous, is much more sup- fine or my false-scores. They would go to the his chief had to report him oftener than was portable than the intenser cold of the more far end of the pasture, turn about, come at about pleasant, and yesterday he was replaced by a northerly possessions of Russia it is a pity that half spend to a certain spot, where invariably man who, it is said, is to be paid the old rate of China does not furn her fine dominions to good their heads would be even, and the start as nice a one as even C. M. Smith could give. Across appear that the employers ere inclined to It is to be hoped that the visit of Wu-ta-jen, the field they would come a flying, Billy M. break through their proposed new terms of as he is a sensible and practical man, will be the pacing, Novelty sometimes trotting and Emily, Brit. bg., W. Orichton. Wieler & Co. pay; but snother case has been mentioned to means of bringing about the utilization of the sometimes racing, and the other two trotting Grenogue, Brit. str., J. S. Hogg.—Jardine, us which would tend to show that they are Chinese dominions on the Amur, and in Man- for dear life; now Billy M. leads, then Matheson & Co. determined to adhere to their resolve. An encharia.

Novelty lets out a link and passes him; at the gineer of eighteen months standing had been ab.

The Ousari and Sungari are great rivers. finish May H. comes with a grand rush, and Novelty lets out a link and passes him; at the GLENROY, Brit. str., Geaks of Jardine, Matheson sent from duty on sick leave, and when he pre- which could be navigated for long distances by beats them out. When about a hundred yards sented himself for work he was told that he steamers: Unfortunately they are ice bound from the fence they would slacken their gait, could only turn to again on the new scale of pay. For at least five months of the twelve. A turn in either direction, follow the fence back to He declined to do so, and intends leaving for geological survey would probably reveal the the starting point, and come again as before— Hongkong. Others have refused the pay, fact that these rivers flow through and over sometimes one shead, sometimes the other; mak- India; Brit. str., M. H. Day.—Captain, notably four or five apprentices, and two of them gold beds of richness equal to the Russian ing but few breaks when finishing. This was Killarney, Brit. str., H. O'Neill.—Car KILLARNEY, Brit. str., H. O'Neill-Captain. have left for Japan. It is not to be supposed deposits in the Siberian rivers. Obi Long, continued for some time, and I think, could that these boys, dependent upon their work for and Yennessei, whose product certainly emounts those who say racing horses is cruelty to animals

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Hongkong, 16th May, 1885.

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Superintendent. Hongkong, 12th May, 1985. ""ALAND ORIENTAL STEAM.

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THE Steamship "SAN PABLO" will be many years. Considerable efforts have been hams, on WEDNESDAY, the 27th inst., at To prevent, however, if possible, any further

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